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Short Description:

Requirements for NEPA Analysis on Surplus Lands.

Inquiry:

Following is the caller's question of October 26, 2000, regarding surplus government properties:

When we determine that surplus Coast Guard properties are unsuitable and they are refered to GSA, does GSA have to do a NEPA analysis prior to disposing of them?

Response:

GSA does perform NEPA analysis on all properties conveyed to them for sale. However, this NEPA analysis is for disposal purposes only and does not address any current uses or other issues. It is the responsibility of the agencies involved, (i.e., Coast Guard and BLM) to perform any required NEPA analysis in accordance with their own agencies implementing regulations regarding NEPA.

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